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HOWLS OF THE WEST.
Editor of Alton Democrat
Airs His Views on
Wives.

Experiences of the Shah of Persia Give Him Fright--Six Hundred Better Halves Considered a Calamity.

I did intend to get married some time ago, but I grew discouraged and changed my mind. After reading that the Shah of Persia has six wives I had no heart to start out in this great seething, bubbling world with only one little, measly, scrawny wife and I gave it up. I could see no pleasure in coming home to dinner day after day to find the same old ugly wife dressed in the same old mother-hubbard, with the same old frowns and the same old dirt under her finger nails--trying the same old face over the cook stove. It is natural that a man with any ambition should yearn for a new wife, new frizza, new mother-hubbard and new dirt, and I concluded there was no use in trying to get married unless a fellow could do the thing up in shape the Shah of Persia did. But I feel more cheerful since reading that the Shah has gone insane.

HERD OF BETTER HALVES.

The Shah's name is Muzaffer-Ed-Din and he has the most extensive herd of better halves in the world today. He started his collection when a mere boy and often sends his ambassadors miles away to get a rare specimen--as his ambition is to have no alike in size, shape or color.

Brightman Young started a collection once, but his handful of wives wasn't a drop in the bucket compared to the Shah of Sulte--Muzaffer has lost more wives than he ever saw. Compared to him Congress Roberts is a widower.

The only man who ever held a candle to Muzaffer in matrimonial matters was Solomon, Josephus, the great Jewish historian, tells us that Solomon had the largest and finest assortment of wives ever collected by a single promoter of nuptial bliss.

At the time of his death he was the proud possessor of two heads of spouses besides a number that died or eloped with the hired men.

But Solomon took several hundred years to accumulate his flock of wives, while Muzaffer has gathered his up in the short space of two score. Who can blame him for being crazy?

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CROUP.

The peculiar cough which indicates croup, is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Do not waste valuable time in experimenting with untired remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended, but give this medicine as directed and all symptoms of croup will quickly disappear. For sale by all druggists.

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a yard to make her a wrapper, 3,000 pins to hold it on and 100 dozen side combs to keep her bridle tresses out of the hash. It takes 600 pairs of hose to cover her 1,200 alabaster calves and 30 miles of wire to make her a hoop-skirt. At every spring house-cleaning there are 1,200 discarded corsets on the ash heap and on wash days she has to hang her clothes on the slate line and the whole empire smells of soapuds. It takes four tons of prepared chalk to keep her face white, a car load of soap for her toilet and when she takes her annual bath--the Euphrates goes dry. When she has the sick headache or her 600 mothers comes to spend a week, the Sandhills adjourns and Muzaffer goes on a fishing trip. When Mrs. Muzaffer and her mother want to go riding in the park, it takes ninety-seven hay racks and 400 hundred yokes of sacred buffaloes to haul them around and the children are left in Muzaffer's charge. It is said that when he went to trot his first born on his knee one day he let 450 of it fall and wall that went up shattered the window glass and jolted 1,349 nursing bottles off the pantry shelf. It takes 400 barrels of milk to feed the baby and sixty-sixty frying pans a year to do the family spanking.

HARROWING EXPERIENCES.

No wonder the Shah is crazy. Imagine yourself, my gentle reader, the husband of such a wife! Picture, if you can, this noble man awakened in the night by a terrified shriek from his wife, followed by the agonizing whisper from 500 throats. "Oh, Muzaffer, I'm sure there is a burglar under this bed!" We who have never, never passed through such an ordeal would be lost and undone. But Muzaffer, the "son of the universe," who sits on the throne of Xerxes and Darius and Artaxerxes, isn't undone a bit. He sits boldly upright in the middle of the bed with nightcap awry and peers about the room. To the right of him and to the left of him, as far as the eye can reach in the dim light of the smoky kerosene lamp, is Mrs. Muzaffer-Ed-Din with her back humped and her head buried in the pillows, with muffled shrieks rip up the midnight calm. But Muzaffer shrieks not a solitary shriek. The treasury surplus of the royal flannel or the supply of mother-in-laws, may shrink a few, but Muzaffer never shrieks. He is no shrinker. He knows it is like looking for a needle in a haystack to look for a burglar beneath that bed--for the royal bed, mind you, is six feet long and half a mile in width, with Muzaffer in the middle and 300 wives on a side. (The children sleep over in the next country.) But what does Muzaffer do? Does he wring his hands in despair? No! He simply hisses "Rats!" and holds his ears while the feminine shriek that follows, drives the burglar stark, starting mad and he dies a raving maniac.

AFFECTING PICTURE.

Muzaffer is a picturesque character and one is thrilled with admiration as he grasps a boot-jack and stands in the middle of the parlor floor with the light of his eye in his eye, while his wife perches on the bric-a-brac to escape a ferocious mouse which seeks to shin up one of her hundred dozen limbs. When Muzaffer announced his intention recently of going to war 600 pairs of soft arms shot around his neck, 600 heads were laid on his shoulder and 600 sub-choked voices pleaded with him to stay, while bring tears from 600 pairs of pretty eyes made faded spots on the parlor carpet.

Alfred Keene has gone to Texas where he will engage in teaching.

Miss Maggie Davidson will visit her sister in the South during the summer.

Keep It In Your Home,

And when the bowels fail to act properly, take a dose of LYON'S LAXATIVE SYRUP--it acts gently but effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels; will keep your system in good working order and make your complexion clear.

For sale by J. Thos. Allen, Rosine, Ky.

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NASAL CATARRH CURED

Pe-ru-na Cures a Case of Five Years' Standing.

which all doctors agree, is that it is difficult to cure it. Local remedies may give relief but they fail to cure permanently. Sprays or snuffs amount to little or nothing except to give temporary relief.

Catarrh is frequently located in internal organs which cannot be reached by any sort of local treatment. All this is known by every physician.

To devise some systemic internal remedy which would reach catarrh at its source, to eradicate it permanently from the system--this has been the desire of the medical profession for a long time. Fifty years ago Dr. Hartman confronted this problem. He believed then that he had solved it. He still believes he has solved it. He cured thousands of people annually. During all these years Pe-ru-na has been the remedy upon which he has relied.

It was at first a private prescription, afterwards advertised expressly for him in large quantities. The remedy, Pe-ru-na, is now to be found in every drug-store and nearly every home in the land. It is the only reliable internal remedy ever devised to cure any case of catarrh, however long the case may have been standing.

Mr. Camillus Senne, 257 West 12th street, New York, writes:

"I have fully recovered from my catarrhal troubles.

I suffered for three years with catarrh of the head, nose and throat. I tried all kinds of medicine without relief, but at last I have been cured by the wonderful remedy called Pe-ru-na.

"I read of Pe-ru-na in your almanac, and when I tried it I was completely cured. It is with pleasure I recommend it to others."---RUDOLPH M. PATTERSON.

Mrs. J. C. Garrett, of 38 West 117th street, New York City, writes:

"I can honestly recommend Pe-ru-na as the greatest catarrh remedy. It heals quickly and permanently."

"This is simply the whole story in a word. I have for years suffered with catarrh, aggravated by the weather. The doctor finds catarrh to be his constant and ever-present foe. It complicates nearly every disease he is called upon to treat.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

There are two things that the whole medical profession agree about concerning catarrh. The first is that catarrh is the most prevalent and omnipresent disease to which the people in the United States are subject. All classes of people have it. Those who stay indoors much and those who go outdoors much. Working classes have it and sedentary classes have it.

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The second thing about catarrh on



Mr. Rudolph M. Patterson, a well-known lawyer, of Chicago, Ill., writes the following letter to The Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, Ohio:

Gentlemen--"I have been a sufferer from nasal catarrh for the past five years, and at the earnest solicitation of a friend I tried Peruna and am glad to say it has afforded complete cure. It is with pleasure I recommend it to others."---RUDOLPH M. PATTERSON.

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A course of Peruna never fails to bring relief. There is no other remedy like Peruna. Its cures are prompt and permanent.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

WILLIAM REDDISH

Seeks His Honest Dues and Finds a Cell.

William Reddish, of Rosine, is forced into winter quarters in the county castle on account of his pronounced views on the question of collecting accounts due him. According to Reddish's story, one James Raley, came into possession of some money due Reddish and refused when called upon to make Reddish whole. Reddish, not caring to await the slow, tedious and uncertain processes of the law for the collection of his debt, went to the public hitch rack at Rosine where Raley's horse was standing and quietly took possession of the beast to hold as a hostage for the redemption of the obligation due him. Reddish, not caring to await the slow, tedious and uncertain processes of the law for the collection of his debt, went to the public hitch rack at Rosine where Raley's horse was standing and quietly took possession of the beast to hold as a hostage for the redemption of the obligation due him.

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DISLOCATED HER SHOULDER.

Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Ferguson Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep which she had not done for several days. The son was so much pleased with the relief it gave his mother that he has since recommended it to many others. For sale by all druggists.

DON'T WORRY.

This is easier said than done, yet it may be of some help to consider the matter. If the cause is something over which you have no control it is obvious that worrying will not help the matter in the least. On the other hand, if within your control you have only to act. When you have a cold and fear an attack of pneumonia, buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and use it judiciously and all cause for worry as to the outcome will quickly disappear. There is no danger of pneumonia when it is used.

CLARENCE DEWEES has entered the freshman class in the scientific course at the State College, Lexington.

Claude Smith will return to Hartford and resume the practice of law when his school closes.

Those who have entered Hartford College are as follows: W. S. Hill, I. J. Hoover, Clarence Allen, Clarence Bennett, Misses Stella Tanner, Belle Shown, Bertrice Miller and Lula Acosta.

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KIDNEY TROUBLE.

Kidney trouble upsets the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born with weak kidneys. If the child urine too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with wet-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the kidney trouble, and the first step toward the removal of these important organs. This important trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and the cause is not the same great

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WEEKS wants the Indiana post office. It has been closed for weeks, but now it may be opened for Weeks.

GREAT is the board of equalization. What they do not know about the valuation of realty in Ohio county, has been torn out of the book.

For a little "tickling sensation" at the heart where you are unable to scratch, we recommend the "skate cure." We tried it; it's superb.

GERMAN gunners have not succeeded in silencing Venezuelan guns, but they have, no doubt, proven themselves good marksmen by knocking out German trade in South America.

The Hartford court houses will soon have a new twelve-hundred-pound bell to peal forth prosperity for the town and county—Herald.

What? How is that? Do you mean to turn your back on time-honored Democratic traditions by admitting that the country is prosperous?

The foreign commerce of the United States has grown to such magnitude, that the present Congress will, in all probability, create the new portfolio of Secretary of Commerce. And this, too, under a Republican Protective Tariff Administration!

HON. GEORGE FRED WILLIAMS, a Massachusetts Democrat, who was side-tracked by his party last fall, has crooked out in a new place. He is now organizing a new party by the name of "People's Party." This appellation, to George Fred, is a misnomer.

STRANGERS in our town, who are fortunate enough to hear the tintinnabulation of the court house bell, go away with the entrancing melody, which wells from its molten golden throat, glowing in their hearts long after it is heard no more. But none of them are quite sure whether it is a reproduction of the Whittington or the Westminster chimes.

WHEN will Carolinians become weary of the bulldozing ruffianism of the Tillmans? The assassination of editor Gonzales, for cold, calculating, savage brutality, is almost without a parallel. But we are so accustomed to murder that the last agonizing moan of the victim of the ruffian's pistol hardly receives an echo of sympathy from the Blue Grass Commonwealth.

RUDYARD KIPLING, the rag-time poet, has again obtained newspaper notoriety. It came not, however, from his high-born kinsmen on the Isle of Britain, in a gentle swell of adulation; but from his haughty cousins "across the ditch," who have scored him severely for his utterances on the Anglo-German alliance and the Monroe Doctrine. His late utterances show him in a new role—that of a keen political discerning, rather than a noted author.

THE Hartford Herald obligingly gives us a grammar lecture this week. It was awfully sweet of the dear old girl to take such a friendly interest in us. We know our grammar is not of the best, but in the paragraph quoted, will she kindly favor us with some rule of grammar that proves it ungrammatical? Of course the sweet old thing knew we meant "advance notices," notwithstanding her disclaimer.

Desirable as it is to use good grammar, there is another element more material to the making of a good newspaper than scrupulous conformity to the rules of grammar. In fact, we have upon good authority that there are some men who learned grammar at Harvard and Yale, and learned it well, who are glad to earn

a dollar a day tamping ballast under railroad ties. But still we aint agin grammar as a general proposition.

We were away from home the first of the week and Mr. James DeWeese did a part of the editorial writing for this issue. This explanation is material to our escape from self-confessed guilt to rising at the still hour of four in the morning and hieing away to the ice pond, as well as from that of reverieating about our first, but long forgotten, sweetheart.

THE Kentucky Press Association had an elegant six o'clock dinner served in six courses at Seelbach's Hotel in Louisville Tuesday evening. The Association had a very interesting business session in the afternoon preceding the dinner, which should have been, perhaps, mentioned first, but such dinners fall so seldom to the lot of the country editor that he may be pardoned for considering them the chief attraction upon any occasion.

To our subscribers who are several years in arrears, it will certainly be a satisfaction to know that we had one square meal.

THE warm weather of the last few days makes us feel again as we did in the long ago, when we strolled out in the gloaming and strolled over the familiar moorland, arm in arm with our first love, to listen to the sweet music of the bullfrog cooing to the object of his affections near him; to watch the violet-eyed polecat and listen, with rapture, to the familiar notes of the old tomcat as he trills a few bars of something soft and low to his mate on the wood-shed. Although life more real has come to us now, yet we cannot forget those days, and nothing affords so much real pleasure as to live them over again in reverie.

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Miss Nancy Smith went to Owensboro Thursday to see Mrs. LeMoyne in "In Those Present" which will be given there Thursday night. Miss Smith will remain a few days for a visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Haynes, of Lewisburg, have been the guests Mrs. Morrison this week.

THE many friends of Mr. S. A. Anderson will regret to see in this issue of THE REPUBLICAN his card, withdrawing from the race for Circuit Clerk.

Mr. Anderson has made a record as an official of which the party that elected him is proud, and on which it would have given him another nomination had he asked it.

As a factor in the Republican organization of Ohio county, Mr. Anderson is highly esteemed by his party associates, and it is not improbable that he will be called upon again by his party to render public service.

Mr. Anderson, at the end of his term as Circuit Court Clerk, will take up the practice of law for which he has been industriously preparing himself for several years.

THE taxpayers of Ohio county are getting much wrought up over the frequency of homicides in the county.

Outside of the immediate family of the deceased, the people, in general, care little or nothing about these homicides as such—so well known to the venture very successful. Efforts are being made to procure a minstrel troupe of thirty members for about February the 9th.

Your correspondent has been sick for several days, and not being out at all. I am sorry to be unable to report more from our town this week—our movements, happenings, etc.

CRNTRAL GROVE.

The series of meetings at the Baptist church, which were conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. D. Maddox, closed last Thursday night, there having been eighteen conversions and eleven additions to the church. The baptizing will take place next third Sunday at 11 o'clock at Brown's Ripple.

Mrs. Kitty Tanner, wife of Mr. Jno. Tanner, died last Saturday after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were conducted, Sunday, at the residence by Rev. G. J. Bean, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Miller graveyard near Goshen. Mrs. Tanner was a Christian woman and loved by all who knew her.

Mr. W. F. Landrum, Williams Mines, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. C. L. Loney.

Mr. Howard Faught has bought Mr. R. M. Hobdy's farm.

Miss Maidie Park is attending school at Beaver Dam.

JINGO.

MESSRS. BEATY & DALTON, BRECKENRIDGE COUNTY, were in this section last week trying to buy farm land, but returned without buying.

MR. JOHN ALLEN, of near BEAVER DAM, has moved in with W. E. Baker and will raise a crop with Mr. Baker this season.

MR. ROBERT VANCE has moved from this place to the farm of Mr. D. W. Likens where he will work the coming season.

MR. FRANK FIELDEN, of SULPHUR SPRINGS, who has been confined to his bed for several days with a complication of diseases, is improving.

MR. ROBERT DAVIS has just returned from an extended visit to LaRue county where he has been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Beatrice Murphy, wife of Mr. A. G. Murphy, has been quite sick for some time, but at this writing she is thought to be improving.

FORT NIAGARA, N. Y.

MR. EDITOR.—I see by your letter-heads that the Hartford Publishing Co. is in good hands and a pliant at the wheel with an eagle eye.

When anything really happens in the Ninth Infantry or vicinity of any real interest to your many readers, I shall be pleased to write it all out at my earliest convenience.

Just now we have one of Longlow's "long and dreary winters," where the ice on lakes and rivers grows ever thicker, thicker, thicker and the snow grows deeper, deeper, covering all the hills and valleys.

Of course the "Ninth" has a few good things in the post, if your readers should be eager for ancient history.

Smallpox at FORDSVILLE.

Mr. Shelby Ford, of FORDSVILLE, got up with a well developed case of smallpox yesterday morning. He is supposed to have contracted the disease in Louisville about ten days ago. The board of health of FORDSVILLE will take every precaution to prevent the spread of the fearful malady.

The awful pangs of rheumatism are quickly relieved by an application of Ramon's Nerve and Bone Oil. Large bottles, with directions. 25cts. J. H. Williams.

Again, in the trying campaigns in

FORDSVILLE.

Mr. Fon Rogers, of Greensburg, was in town from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Mamie Smith visited her brother, Mr. Arthur Smith, at Glendale, last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. J. M. Graham, of Narrows, was here Monday.

Mr. Fred Litsey is on the sick list.

Mr. Griffin Knight, of Oklahoma, is the guest of Mrs. Welburn and family.

Mr. D. J. Nunemacher, of Illinois, was the guest of the family of Mr. W. S. Gaines Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Annie M. Smith went to Owensboro Monday, for a few days.

Misses Alma Mattingly and Emma Lou Moorman, of Glendale, came down Thursday with Mr. Arthur Smith and were guests at his home for the dramatic entertainment Thursday night.

Mr. Fred McCarty has been in Owensboro for several days on account of the death of Mrs. McCarty's grandmother, Mrs. Miller.

Messrs. Clarence Smith, Jack Walker, Charlie Reynolds and others spent Sunday in Owensboro.

Miss Mabel Miller, of Herbert, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gilmore.

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CLOTHING SPECIALS.

For the next ten days we are going to offer our trade some special drives in our Clothing Department. These are not shelf-worn stock, but goods that are first-class in every respect.

SPECIAL NO. 1.

Is an all-wool Black Chiviot Pants, well made, long-waisted, guaranteed the very best black, Pants that usually retail at \$2.50. Our Special price for ten days only is

\$1.50.

SPECIAL NO. 2.

Is a Pant that we take special delight in calling your attention to, for we positively know that they can be found nowhere for less than \$3.00. They are a small check, mixed with brown, long-waisted well-made, sewed with silk thread throughout and an ideal Pant for Sunday wear. Our Special price for ten days is

\$2.00.

Remnant Stock Overcoats.

Well, this stock must go. We do not parley over prices—they are moving and moving fast—but the price is what does it. We are selling our \$6.00 all-wool Beaver Overcoats for \$4.50. Our \$8.50 extra fine black Beaver Overcoats are being slaughtered at \$5.00. Better buy now and save from \$3 to \$5.

THE PLACE IS:



Slaughter Prices IN BIG STOCK AT Taylor and Williams Mines Stores.

It is our purpose to reduce the stock in our stock of General Merchandise in the next 30 days one-half, and in order to do so, we will make sacrifice sales along the line indicated below. Country produce taken in exchange for goods at highest market price. These prices will hold good for 30 days only. Come early before the best bargains are gone.

Men's Vici Kid Shoes reduced from \$4.50 to \$3.50.

Men's Vici Kid reduced from \$3.50 to \$2.75.

Men's Waterproof Box Calf reduced from \$3.50 to \$2.75.

Men's "Best on Earth" Shoe reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.00.

Ladies' Vici Kid reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.

Ladies' Kid Polish Shoe reduced from \$1.25 to 85¢.

Old Ladies' Vici Kid reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.25.

Men's Crushed Hats reduced from \$1.25 to 75¢.

These are only a few samples of the Bargains offered. The editor will not allow us space to give them all, but our clerks will take pleasure in showing you our goods.

Very respectfully,

Taylor & Williams Coal Cos.,
Taylor Mines & Williams Mines, Ky.

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 3rd.

City Restaurant.

Carson Bros. pay cash for Furs.

Nice Fresh Groceries at Cleve Iler's.

Full Line Tropical Fruits at Cleve Iler's.

Everything good to eat at City Restaurant.

Mr. George Maddox, Rockport, was here Monday.

Mr. G. B. Likens was in Owensboro Tuesday.

Mr. M. L. Heavrin was in Fordsville Monday.

Mr. M. L. Heavrin went to Owensboro yesterday.

Mr. Jas. Davis, Sunnyside, was in town Monday.

Mr. John B. Wilson was in Owensboro Tuesday.

Mr. Ben D. Ringo was in Owensboro this week.

Nicest Line of Candies in town at City Restaurant.

Tomatoes, 10c per can at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

Hon. A. S. Bennett, Beda, dropped in to see us Monday.

Mr. A. D. White was in Louisville the first of the week.

Esquire G. S. Fitzhugh, of Dundee, was in the city Monday.

City Restaurant is the most up-to-date place in Hartford.

Get your up-to-date lunches or meals at City Restaurant.

Prof. J. W. Petty, Rockport, was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Sam Bach was in Louisville Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Sam Leach, Cromwell, was in town the first of the week.

Mr. N. B. White, Olaton, was among our visitors Monday.

Schröter's Floating Studio will leave Hartford, February 1, 1903.

Cheese, Sausage, Boneless Ham and Crackers, at City Restaurant.

Mrs. Mary Daniel, of Olaton, is dangerously ill of heart trouble.

Mr. A. R. Renfrow is very ill of appendicitis at his home at Dundee.

Mr. Warren Baker, of Render, was a pleasant visitor at this office yesterday.

Three cans of Strawberries or Gooseberries for 25¢ at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

City Restaurant handles the nicest line of Goods in Hartford. Everything the very best.

Mr. R. G. Lane, Morgantown, representing the Loyd Tye Co., was here Monday.

Extra select Oysters always on hand at City Restaurant, and served in any style.

Mr. Claude E. Smith has opened a law office in the rooms over the REPUBLICAN office.

Infants Cloaks, Caps, Flannels, etc., at greatly reduced prices at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

Messrs. H. B. Ashby and C. K. Reiner, of Centertown were visitors at this office Wednesday.

All Misses and Ladies can be fitted in Corsets for half the usual price at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

We want Hens, Turkeys, Eggs, Ducks, Geese and Feathers, for which we will pay the highest market price. CARSON & CO.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bushill, who have been visiting here for the past few weeks, returned to their home in Crowley, La., Wednesday.

Torchons, Linen Laces, Valences, Insertions, Thread and Swiss Beadings and all-over Embroideries almost given away at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

If you want some of our remnant Calico that we guarantee Loyds in one parcel, you had better come now, as we have only a limited amount left.

CARSON & CO.

Dr. Isaac Sanders, an old and honored physician, died at his home in Fordsville Wednesday at 1 o'clock p.m. of dropsy. He was one of the old school of physicians and he had enjoyed a long and lucrative practice in the Fordsville community.

Bargains in Corduroy and Jeans Trousers.

Everything in the Dry Goods line reduced in proportion.

5¢ Calico reduced to 4¢ ets.

Millinery reduced one-half.

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Very respectfully,

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A Cough

"I have made a most thorough trial of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and am prepared to say that for all diseases of the lungs it never disappears."

J. Early Finley, Ironton, O.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral won't cure rheumatism; we never said it would. It won't cure dyspepsia; we never claimed it. But it will cure coughs and colds of all kinds. We first said this sixty years ago; we've been saying it ever since.

Three sizes: 25¢, 50¢, \$1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do so, but don't take it if he knows. Leave it with him if you are weak.

J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Fresh Fish at City Restaurant next Monday.

Mr. J. E. Mitchell, of Olaton, was in town Wednesday.

Rev. J. W. Cantrell, of No Creek, called on us yesterday.

Levener Coffee 10c per pound at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

15 bars of Santa Claus Soap for 50¢ at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

Daneuwiller Coffee 12½c per pound at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

Mr. P. A. Moxley, No Creek, was among our visitors yesterday.

A big line of Ribbons at unheard of low prices at Taylor Coal Co's Store.

City Restaurant will be chock full of good things to eat next Monday. County Court.

Fresh Oysters, Oyster Stew, Oysters Raw, Oysters any way you want 'em at City Restaurant.

Mr. Charlie Deweese, of Trisler came down yesterday, spent the night with his brother, Supt. Jas. DeWeese, and left this morning for Louisville.

OVERCOAT—That is what every man needs in cold weather, and here is the place to get them. Great bargain in every coat at Carson & Co's.

Mr. Garrett Petty, an old and respected farmer of the Trisler country, died Monday of pneumonia. Mr. Petty was eighty years old and was in bed less than forty-eight hours.

Mr. John W. Leighton, of Bowling Green, is organizing a class in physical culture here. The class will begin work in a few days in the hall of the Central Business College.

You can buy Hosiery cheaper than ever before in your life at Taylor Coal Co's Store. They can sell you five pairs of Ladies stockings or Men's Half Hose for 25¢.

To my Many Friends—Having received a half in the livery business of J. B. Dodson, I will be glad to see you all. I will take charge next Monday. Yours for trade,

L. T. BARNARD.

Mr. H. G. Schreiter, who has been in Hartford since September, will leave, with his Floating Studio, for Rochester and other points on Green River, Sunday, February 1. He will return again in September.

I have opened up Jewelry and Watch-making headquarters in the City Restaurant, Hartford, and am prepared to do all kinds of work in my line. All work guaranteed according to contract. I am located here permanently and will appreciate your patronage. WILL STEVENS.

Mr. Clarence Gillespie, who lives with Mr. Joseph Marlow, near Eardsville, happened to a very serious accident last Thursday. While out hunting he accidentally discharged his gun, the entire load of shot penetrating his left arm. At last reports he was doing reasonably well.

We certainly had a big trade on remnant calico, and now we are going to offer you another good thing in the way of domestic. We have four bales of factory that we are going to sell at 3½c in bolt lots and 4c by the yard. This lot can't last long at these prices, so you had better not delay the matter. These prices are for cash or good country produce.

Public Sale.

I will, on Saturday, February 7, 1903, at my farm near Sanderson's Crossing, expose for sale to the highest and best bidder, all my stock, feed and farming implements, consisting in part of one pair of horses and harness, road wagon, cows, calves and hogs, mowing machine and rake, disc harrow, etc.

TERMS.—Under \$5, cash; \$5 and up, on ten months time with 6 per cent. interest from date. Good will security will be required. Will discount all notes two per cent. for cash. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock. You are invited. L. T. BARNARD.

THOMAS GALVIN

Killed by Flying Train at Rosine.

Thomas Galvin, section foreman, of the Beaver Dam section, was killed while attempting to board a moving train at Rosine the 22nd inst.

There was some trouble with the trestle just below Rosine, and Galvin had been ordered there with his men to help repair the trestle. At 4:30 Thursday evening he attempted to board a fast moving freight train to go to his home at Beaver Dam, but he missed catching the arm on the side of the car and fell under the train where he was instantly killed and his body terribly mutilated.

Coroner Davis was called who held an inquest over the body.

Miss Florence Rowan Dead.

Miss Florence Rowan died of congestion of the stomach at her residence, near Livermore, Wednesday night, and her remains were laid to rest in Pleasant Hill cemetery yesterday.

Miss Rowan closed her school in her home district Friday, and engaged to open a private school at Livermore Monday, but feeling slightly indisposed Monday morning, she deferred opening the school till next Monday. But the slight illness of Monday grew rapidly worse and she died, as stated above, Wednesday night.

Miss Rowan was a daughter of Mr. A. C. Rowan and was about twenty-three years old at the time of her death. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the community.

The assassination of Elito Gonzales is a crime which should the Montgomery Advertiser rightly states, arouse the press and public opinion of the entire country. If an editor is to be assassinated with impunity for something printed in his paper, then the boasted freedom of the press is the basest dream of purely idealistic conditions. The assassin in this case resorted to the tactics of the thug and the coward. "There has not so far been," says the Advertiser, "a shadow of evidence that Mr. Gonzales had any reason whatever to apprehend an attack. He was unarmed and helpless."—Louisville Herald.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Reconvene, Hear Many Complaints and Head Few of Them.

The Board of Tax Supervisors reconvened, Monday, to hear complaints of taxpayers whose assessments had been raised by that body.

The man with the farm consisting chiefly of gullied hillsides and broom-sedge fields, as well as the owner of both bottom lands, which were very wet and crawfishy, as very numerous. But the members of the board, who are sitting their fifth sit in that capacity, have long since become calloused to these complaints, and they made very few reductions for the benefit of the owners of the above described lands.

It is extremely interesting to note the difference in description the land owner, who has been raised, gives to the Board of Supervisors and to a prospective purchaser.

The board completed its work and adjourned yesterday.

Mr. T. H. Carson, of Livermore,

who is visiting friends in the county gave us a very pleasant call yesterday.

To My Republican Friends.

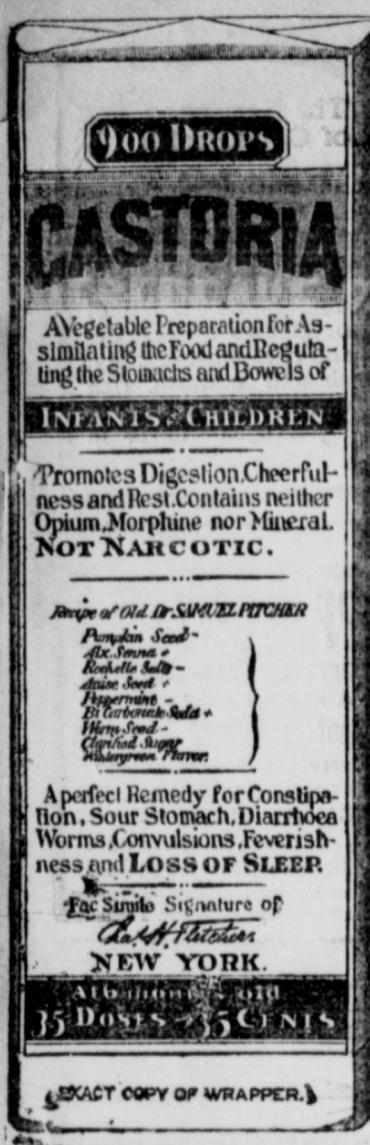
It had been my intention to make the race for re-election for the office of Clerk of the Ohio Circuit Court, and I had announced to some of my friends, but after due deliberation and thinking it best for me and, perhaps best for the Republican party, for me not to enter the contest for the nomination, I take this method of informing my friends that I will be a candidate for re-election.

I have several reasons for not entering the contest, and the most potent reason is that I feel that after the sacrifice of time and money on my part, fighting a Democratic contest after I was elected, that I should have had the nomination from my party without opposition, and thereby I could have made a much stronger race, however, there are some worthy gentlemen who evidently think they should have the nomination, hence they are asking for the support of the Republicans for the office.

The office does not belong to me, and I am open for some good man, and I want to see the nominee, whom he may be, win in the final election. I am proud to be the first Republican Circuit Clerk Ohio county has ever had, and I trust that my efforts since I have been in office, have given satisfaction to the people, and that in retiring from office I will have the good will of all the people.

As soon as my time expires, it is now my intention to enter into the practice of the law, for which I have been studying for the past four years.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have
Always Bought

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THE CENTURY COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

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Handles the BEST and PUREST Whiskies, Wines and Brandies in town. Old Parker Rye, Old W. S. Stone and Old International, specialties.

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Sixty experienced teachers, each one a specialist in his line. Graduates of this college preferred by business houses. We are now in our new home, nearest corner Second and Walnut street, the finest and best arranged school building in the South. Individual instruction. School in session all the year. Students can enter at any time. Visitors always welcome. E. J. WRIGHT Pres.

CHESEPEAKE & OHIO RAILWAY.

Short Line to New York via Washington, and only Through Pullman Line Louisville to Washington. Through Pullman Service to

New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Vestibule Limited trains, Electric Car, Dining Car. Through the Most Picturesque Regions of America. Famous Virginia Springs. Mountain and Sea-shore resorts.

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A Good Route to Try



Free Cure for Sick Headache.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are a certain cure for sick headache. If taken as soon as the first indication of the disease appears they will prevent the attack. Get a free sample at all druggists drug store and give them a trial.

Around the World.

Each person's share of the word is twenty-three and a half acres.

Great Britain has 500 physicians who are women.

France is a larger importing nation than the United States.

Between St. Louis and Kansas City and points in Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Texas and the Southwest.

Between Kansas City and points in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Florida and the Southeast.

Between Birmingham and Memphis and points in Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Texas and the West and Southwest.

The Sunday consumption of beer by workingmen in Northampton, England, is so great that there is practically no work done on Monday, and even on Tuesday morning the men do not appear to have recovered from the effects of the holiday.

Stop That Cough, Cure That Hoarseness.

Relieve That Tightness.

Don't suffer when there is no need that you should. But if you take medicine to relieve or cure your trouble, be sure that you take Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder. These Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Ticklings, and the fact, any Bronchial trouble that you may have, will be relieved by the use of this powder.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam.

(Guaranteed to Cure.)

This is one of the most remarkable combinations of spruce gum and balsam ever offered to the public, and has a reputation second to none known to medical science.

PRICE, 25¢ AND 50 CENTS.

All Compt. and Cold Remedies.

Your Liver is not acting right. Nature's Warning should have attention. Take

Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder.

(It is always Fresh.)

Which will relieve you at once and a cure is guaranteed.

It will relieve congestion; it will cure constipation; it keeps the stomach right and the liver in good condition; it relieves blains and makes a new person of you; it prevents doctor's bills. Do not become an invalid.

Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder will cure you. It is purely vegetable and does not contain any animal matter. It cures all diseases.

PRICE, 25¢ and \$1.00 each. Sold by all Druggists in Mass.

THE AMERICAN PHARMACAL CO.

Soe Proprietors,

EVANSVILLE, INDIANA.

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30.

Illinois Central Railroad--Time Table.

New time card, taking effect Sunday Dec 7, 1902, at noon.

North Bound.

No. 121 due 11:17 a.m.

No. 102 due 12:47 p.m.

No. 101 due 2:47 p.m.

No. 123 due 3:35 p.m.

No. 104 due 7:35 a.m.

S. B. VAN METER, Agent.

ALFRED HUDSON,
BUILDER & CONTRACTOR,
Hartford, Ky.

Bulling and repairing done by day or contract.

Get his estimates before you give your contract.

The best \$2.00 Whiskey in the State.

Co. Jng orders will receive prompt attention.

With flushed cheeks she stammered an apology. "You needn't apologize to me," drawled the stranger, "I didn't keer."

STRAINS OF MUSIC

From Sheriff's Office Attract

Curious Crowd.

Just afternoon, Saturday, the low sweet strains of some ancient Scottish melody stealing out of the windows of the Sheriff's office, in the Southwest corner of the Court House, attracted a curious crowd of Hartford citizens, who were not accustomed to hearing, from that quarter, music of that character, just at that time of the year, when the final round up of tardy tax-payers is made, and they hurried to that office to investigate. When they reached the office the explanation was easy.

A nice, nearly new, Crescent organ, upon which the Sheriff had levied for the satisfaction of a debt, was standing patiently against the wall and responding, with gentle melody, to the delicate touch of Mr. Dunlap, who knows musical instruments as the veteran mariner knows the unmarked paths of the midnight ocean.

This is not a paid advertisement, but somebody is going to get a bargain in an organ the first Monday in February.

Call for Convention.

At a regular meeting of the Republican Executive Committee of Ohio county, held at Hartford, Ky., January 5, 1903, it was ordered that pre-cinct conventions be held in the various voting precincts of the county on Saturday, April 4, 1903, at 1 p.m., for the purpose of electing delegates to attend a delegated convention to be held at Hartford, Ky., on Monday, April 6, 1903, at 1 p.m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Representative and Circuit Court Clerk. It is also ordered that the candidate receiving a majority of the votes cast in said convention shall be declared the Republican nominee of said convention. It is further ordered that the basis of representation in said convention shall be one delegate for each twenty-five or fraction over twelve votes cast for McKinley in 1900. On this basis the several precincts are entitled to said convention, viz.

East Hartford

West Hartford

Beda

Sulphur Springs

Magan

Cromwell

Cool Springs

North Rockport

South Rockport

Select

Branch

Rosine

East Beaver Dam

West Beaver Dam

McHenry

Centertown

Smallhouse

East Fordsdale

West Fordsdale

Etnaville

Shreve

Olatz

Buford

Bartlett

Hefflin

Carrolton

Pleasant

Narrows

Ralph

NICHOLAS BARRASS, Ch'm'n.

J. M. DEWRESE, Sec'y.

YOUNKIN WHAT YOU ARE TAKING.

When you take Green's Iron Cure because the price is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteful form. No Fare, No Fare, No Fare.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENTS.

DO YOU OWE US ON SUBSCRIPTION?

IF SO, THIS MEANS YOU.

WE HAVE JUST PUT IN A NEW ENGINE AND ATTACHMENTS TO RUN OUR PRINTING PRESS WHICH COST US \$250. THIS MACHINERY MUST BE PAID FOR WITHIN THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS, AND WE ARE EXPECTING YOU TO HELP US RAISE THE MONEY.

WE HAVE THAT FAITH IN THE INTEGRITY OF OUR PATRONS THAT WE BELIEVE THEY WILL RESPOND TO THIS URGENT NEED.

THE YELLOW SLIP ON YOUR PAPER SHOWS FOR WHAT TIME YOU OWE US, AND IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A BANK ACCOUNT OF YOUR OWN, ANY MERCHANT WILL FURNISH YOU A CHECK WHICH YOU CAN MAIL TO US TO SETTLE YOUR ACCOUNT.

A MAN BY THE NAME OF CORN WAS MARRIED IN A NEIGHBORING COUNTY TO A LADY NAMED WHEAT. THE CHOIR SANG, "WHAT SHALL THE HARVEST BE?" A BOY IN THE AUDIENCE YELLED "NUBBLES" AND THEY FORTHWITH EJECTED HIM FROM THE CHURCH.

THE GRECIAN GOVERNMENT HAS ORDERED ITS ANNUAL SUPPLY OF REFINED PETROLEUM, 1,000,000 GALLONS, IN TEN-GALLON CANS, FROM THE UNITED STATES.

THE SUNDAY CONSUMPTION OF BEER BY WORKINGMEN IN NORTHAMPTON, ENGLAND, IS SO GREAT THAT THERE IS PRACTICALLY NO WORK DONE ON MONDAY, AND EVEN ON TUESDAY MORNING THE MEN DO NOT APPEAR TO HAVE RECOVERED FROM THE EFFECTS OF THE HOLIDAY.

STOP THAT COUGH, CURE THAT HOARSENESS.

RELIEVE THAT TIGHTNESS.

DON'T SUFFER WHEN THERE IS NO NEED THAT YOU SHOULD.

IF YOU TAKE MEDICINE TO RELIEVE OR CURE YOUR TROUBLE, BE SURE THAT YOU TAKE DR. CARLSTEDT'S GERMAN LIVER POWDER.

IT WILL RELIEVE CONGESTION; IT KEEPS THE STOMACH RIGHT; IT HELPS TO GET RID OF BLAINS; AND MAKES A NEW PERSON OF YOU; IT PREVENTS DOCTOR'S BILLS. DO NOT BECOME AN INVALID.

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(IT IS ALWAYS FRESH.)

WHICH WILL RELIEVE YOU AT ONCE AND A CURE IS GUARANTEED.

IT WILL RELIEVE CONGESTION; IT KEEPS THE STOMACH RIGHT; IT HELPS TO GET RID OF BLAINS; AND MAKES A NEW PERSON OF YOU; IT PREVENTS DOCTOR'S BILLS.

DO NOT TAKE ANY OTHER.

SELL IN BOTTLES, 25¢ AND \$1.00 EACH. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS IN MASS.

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SOE PROPRIETORS,

EVANSVILLE, INDIANA.

Subscribe for The Hartford Republican and the Louisville Herald—both papers one year for \$1.25.

lovingly on the shoulder of the stranger and put her plump arm around his neck. The green, gawky stranger seemed a trifle surprised at this unexpected familiarity, but he made no desperate effort to escape. He merely looked around at the convulsed passengers and grinned. The tall, thin, young woman, who was the guest of Mr. Alonzo Grant and family Friday and Saturday night, awoke the young woman and opening her pretty blue eyes, she saw her mistake. With flushed cheeks she stammered an apology. "You needn't apologize to me," drawled the stranger, "I didn't keer."

BARRETT'S FERRY.

Mr. Willie Hart and wife and children were the guests of Mr. Alonzo Grant and family Friday and Saturday.

MISS IDA SHRADER.

Miss Ida Shrader is visiting relatives here.

MR. H. L. HART.

Mr. H. L. Hart returned from Owensboro Sunday.

MR. H. C. SAPP.

Mr. H. C. Sapp, of Fordsville, was the guest of friends near here Saturday and Sunday.

MR. GUY COMBS.

Mr. Guy Combs went to Fordsville yesterday.

MESSRS. JOHN AND ANDREW PAYNE.

Messrs. John and Andrew Payne, of Calhoun, are visiting relatives here at Shreve.

MR. FRANK FEITZ.

Mr. Frank Feitz, of Olston, who has been sick for several days is some better.

MESSRS. WILLY DOUGLAS AND ROBERT SHRADER.

Messrs. Willie Douglas and Robert Shrader went to the mountains last week.

THE MANY FRIENDS OF MISS FLOY MURPHY.

The many friends of Miss Floyd Murphy, who went to Texas for her health, are glad to learn that she is improving.

MR. ED DAVISON.